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SUBJECT:UNEP AND ANTARCTICA: JAPANESE POSITION

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1. JAPAN EMBASSY OFFICERS CALLED AT DEPARTMENT APRIL 17 TO

CONVEY GOJ VIEWS ON ANTARCTICA AND UNEP, AS FOLLOWS:

ANTARCTIC TREATY HAS FUNCTIONED WELL SINCE ITS INCEPTION.

UNEP SHOULD NOT CONCERN ITSELF WITH ANTARCTICA. ANTARCTIC  
TREATY CONSULTATIVE PARTIES ARE DEALING WITH MATTERS PER-  
TAINING TO MINERAL RESOURCES EXPLORATION AND THE ENVIRON-  
MENT IN THE ANTARCTICA AND UNEP INVOLVEMENT IS UNNECESSARY.  
IF A MAJORITY AT THE UNEP GC ADVOCATES THE INCLUSION OF  
ANTARCTICA IN THE PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES, ACTION SHOULD AT  
MAXIMUM BE A RECOMMENDATION TO THE NEXT ANTARCTIC TREATY  
CONSULTATIVE MEETING.

2. DEPARTMENT INFORMED JAPANESE OF GIST OF INSTRUCTIONS  
TO USDEL ON THIS QUESTION, NOTING THAT US WOULD PREFER TO  
SEE UNEP WORK WITH SCAR RATHER THAN MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS  
DIRECTLY TO THE CONSULTATIVE MEETING IF FIRST PREFERENCE -  
TO HAVE UNEP DROP THE WHOLE MATTER - CANNOT BE ACHIEVED.  
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